

Notice of Allowability

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1. ☒ This communication is responsive to Amendment filed 11/09/2005.
2. ☒ The allowed claim(s) is/are 1-35.
3. ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
- a) ☐ All b) ☐ Some* c) ☐ None of the:
1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
2. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. _____.
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4. ☐ A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted. Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives reason(s) why the oath or declaration is deficient.
5. ☐ CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") must be submitted.
- (a) ☐ including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) attached
- 1) ☐ hereto or 2) ☐ to Paper No./Mail Date _____.
- (b) ☐ including changes required by the attached Examiner's Amendment / Comment or in the Office action of Paper No./Mail Date _____.
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6. ☐ DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.

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of Biological Material | 8. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance |
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DETAILED ACTION

Allowable Subject Matter

1. Claims 1-35 are allowed.
2. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:
3. 2.1 Referring to claims 1-2, 5, 8, 10-13, 14-17, 19, 27, 28-35 Ross, Jr. et teaches the claims limitations as following:

referring to claims 1 ,27, 28 the limitation "storing data generated by a user on a secure data repository ..." is met by storage of data on communication and file servers (see column 5, lines 5-10 and 34-52. See personal ID technologies (i.e. smart card, single and multiple passwords, magnetic card) and "firewall" software in column 12, line 54 to column 13, line 5). The limitation "accessing data" is met by column 5, lines 5-10 and 34-52. The limitation "generating the report" is met by column 5, lines 34-52;

referring to claims 2 ,14, 28 and 33, Ross discloses steps for the following:

storing user data generated by the user (see column 5, lines 5-10 and 34-52),
transmitting user data (see column 5, lines 5-10 and 34-52),
defining a report template (see column 5, lines 34-52),
exporting the secure data file (see column 5, lines 5-10 and 34-52 and column 12, line 54 to column 13, line 5),
generating the report (column 5, lines 34-52).

- 2.2 Ross, however does not teach or suggest, storing data generated by the user on a secure data repository operative in a first processing space *inaccessible* by the

user. According to Ross any user or report recipient is able to access files on the network. Therefore, Ross does not anticipate the instant claims.

2.3 Referring to claims 3, 4, 6, 7, 9, 18, and 20-26, the combination of Ross and Rosansky does not render the instant claims obvious because neither Ross nor Rosansky teach the first processing space being inaccessible by the user via network and the second processing space securely separated from the first processing space.

3. In view of the reasons provided herein claims 1-35 are in condition for allowance.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."


Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Grigory Gurshman whose telephone number is (571)272-3803. The examiner can normally be reached on 9 AM-5:30 PM.

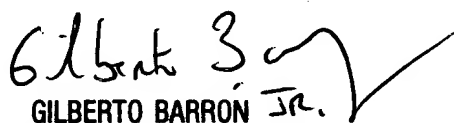
If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Gilberto Barron can be reached on (571)272-3799. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571 273 8300.

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